

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Kimio OZAWA

Appln. No.: 10/774,844

Confirmation No.: 9488

Filed: February 10, 2004

For: APPARATUS, METHOD AND PROGRAM FOR CONTROLLING OPTICAL POWER

Docket No: Q79750

Group Art Unit: 2613

Examiner: Phyowai LIN

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents

P.O. Box 1450

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This responds to the Restriction Requirement, dated February 19, 2008. In response to the Restriction Requirement, Applicant elects Group II, claims 2, 4, 6, 8-14, 16, 18, 20, 22, 23, 25, 27, 29, 31, 32, 34, 36, 38, 40 and 41 for examination. This election is made without traverse.

Applicant reserves the right to file a Divisional Application directed to non-elected claims.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account.

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